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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Sebastian Böhm *et al.*

Application No.: 10/027484

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Art Unit: 1795

For: MICROFLUIDIC SYSTEM INCLUDING A  
VIRTUAL WALL FLUID INTERFACE PORT  
FOR INTERFACING FLUIDS WITH THE  
MICROFLUIDIC SYSTEM

Examiner: J. T. Barton

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated February 7, 2008 (Paper No. 20080129), the response period of which is extended to August 7, 2008 by the accompanying Request for Extension of Time, please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.